

GRAND JURY IS PROBING SALE OF "PAPER" ROAD

Calls Metropolitan Securities Directors to Explain Payment of \$965,000 to Brady

LINE WAS NEVER BUILT.

Inside Facts of the Deal Brought to Light by The Evening World.

The November Grand Jury, of which E. W. Bloomingdale is foreman, began today an investigation into the purchase in 1902 of the Wall and Cortlandt Street Railroad—a "paper" system—by the Metropolitan Securities Company for the Metropolitan Street Railway Company. The road was purchased from Anthony N. Brady for \$965,000, and the purchase money, with the exception of some \$250,000, was immediately transferred by Mr. Brady, by his personal check, to William C. Whitney, Thomas F. Ryan, Peter A. B. Widener, Thomas D. Dean, William L. Edwards and Moore & Seelye.

Information of this transaction was first made public by The Evening World. The Public Service Commission took the matter up, and Anthony N. Brady, on the witness stand, under oath, told of the details of the deal to the district judge of his checks to the persons mentioned.

But the Public Service Commission inquiry did not extend to the reason why Mr. Brady turned back three-quarters of the purchase money he received for his railroad—why, by this way, he could not have built, because of an injunction. It is into this phase of the transaction that the Grand Jury will penetrate. Although the statute of limitations ordinarily would intervene in a deal of this character, more than three years having elapsed since the District Attorney is of the opinion that the statute does not apply in this instance.

The witnesses called.

The witnesses summoned to testify today were: PAUL D. CRAVATH, H. H. VREBLAND, THOMAS B. FOWLER, GEO. C. HAYEN, ALBERT J. JULLIARD, EDWARD J. BERWIND and MORRIS L. SCHIFF.

If Mr. Brady has been subpoenaed he did not appear at the District Attorney's office.

At the time the Metropolitan Securities Company bought Mr. Brady's blue print railroad for nearly \$1,000,000, Thomas B. Fowler, president of the corporation and E. W. Bayre was treasurer. Mr. Bayre drew the check and Mr. Fowler countersigned it. Mr. Bayre, it said, has been subpoenaed, but he did not appear with the other witnesses today.

The transaction does not appear in detail on the books of the Metropolitan. No expenditure is grouped with others. No entries have been found in the Metropolitan books to account for the disposition of the purchase money made by Mr. Brady.

All in the Directorate.

The witnesses summoned to testify today were all on the directorate of the Metropolitan Securities Company when the Wall and Cortlandt Street Railroad Company was put through. The late William C. Whitney was also a director. Ryan, Widener, Seelye and Dean were also directors in the Metropolitan. It is not known whether any of the recipients of the \$965,000 have been subpoenaed.

William Randolph, converted the group of capitalists to Mr. Jerome's office.

Cravath on Stand.

The Grand Jury investigation lasted two hours. Paul D. Cravath took up the case as a witness. He was interviewed, not as counsel for the Metropolitan, but as a director of the Metropolitan Securities Company.

Additional subpoenas were issued for witnesses to appear on Monday morning. Several days may be consumed in completing the investigation.

All the living members of the Metropolitan Securities directorate at the time of the Brady deal have been subpoenaed, with the exception of James Hansen. He is living in France.

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It was in this study of roots and herbs that Lydia E. Pinkham, of Lynn, Mass., discovered and gave to the women of the world a remedy more potent and efficacious than any combination of drugs.

Mrs. C. E. Fink, of Carnegie, Pa., writes: "Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—I wish every suffering woman would take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and write to you for advice. It has done me a world of good and what I have accomplished for me I know it will do for others."

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is an honest, tried and true remedy of unquestionable therapeutic value. This medicine made from native roots and herbs contains no narcotics or other harmful drugs and today holds the record for the largest number of actual cures of female diseases of any medicine the world has ever known, and thousands of voluntary testimonials are on file in the laboratory at Lynn, Mass., which testify to its wonderful value.

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6,000 yards Fine Ribbons at Special Prices

Extra Quality Brilliant Taffeta

5 1/2 inches wide..... 29c., value 45c

8 " " 55c., " 75c

colors: White, Cream, Pink, Light Blue, Cardinal, Purple and Black.

Extra Quality Moire Francaise

5 1/2 inches wide..... 39c., value 65c

8 " " 95c., " \$1.35

colors: White, Cream, Pink, Light Blue, Lavender, Cardinal and Mais.

White Dresden Sash Ribbons

all light dainty colorings

95c. per yd.,

value \$1.25, \$1.50

Lord & Taylor

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Exquisite New Model

Fine Shoes

For Women at \$5.00

In patent and Russia leathers, black kid, golden and russet browns, suede and light kid, black and tan calf. All the vogue tan kids and gun metal kids.

With beautiful tailor-made cloth tops in all colors and shades of pearl, gray, brown, tan, black.

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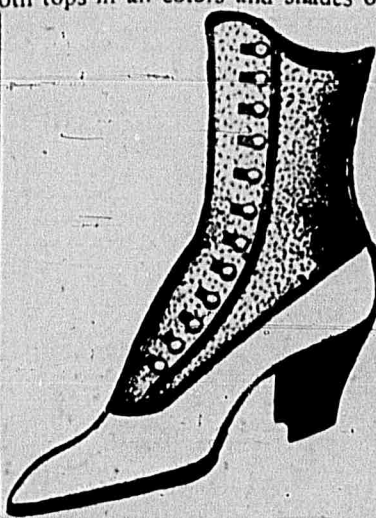
Our lines compose an unparalleled exhibition of these High Fashion Shoes in all leathers, sizes and widths, in the latest designs of toes, soles, heels, instep, arch, ankle and vamp, and embody the newest fashion lasts, construction and finish.

They increase and complete the beauty of new Fall costumes in the most artistic and effective manner.

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Women's Coats, Suits, Waists, Underwear and Shoes, Men's Clothing and Shoes, as well as Carpets, Rugs, Linoleums, Lace Curtains, &c., at the lowest prices in the city.

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Just one hundred and twenty of these splendid suits received from a prominent manufacturer—and seldom, if ever, have suits of this character been offered under \$35.00. They are made of broadcloths, striped suitings and high-class mixtures in dark effects. The tailoring is excellent and the trimmings are of the best. Special for Thursday..... \$22.50



Women's Coats For Travelling and Street Wear. Extraordinary Values. Women's Travelling Coats—striped and plaid chevrons in dark shadings. Usual price \$12.00; sale price..... \$6.75 Women's Long Black Cloth Street Coats—trimmed with velvet and silk braids. Usual price \$15.00; sale price..... \$7.75 Women's extra full Broadcloth Coats—full length, beautifully trimmed—altogether a full, dressy coat. Usually \$20.00; sale price..... \$12.75

Dress Goods Great Price Reductions for To-morrow (Thursday)

\$1.25 All-Wool Satin Face Broadcloths. These cloths are full 52 inches wide, made from superior grade yarns, and are in every way equal to cloths usually sold at \$1.25. Yard..... 69c

Black, navy, royal, cadet, Copenhagen, rose, reseda, brown, mode, castor, gray, red, smoke and many other shades.

\$1.00 Quality Silk and Wool Chiffon Eolienne, 42 inches wide, pure silk..... 39c

and wool, rich, lustrous quality. Black, cream, gray, tan, beige, red, green, royal, navy, rose, garnet, mode, castor, etc., etc.; yard. (No Mail Orders.)

4,000 Yards of Regular 75c and \$1.00 Black Goods, yd., 50-inch all-wool sponged Cheviot—42-inch all-wool French Voile—52-inch all-wool heavy Panama—50-inch all-wool Tailor Serge—40-inch all-wool imported Poplin—45-inch all-wool imported Nun's Veiling, and many other fabrics. All regular 75c., 85c. and \$1.00 qualities. (No Mail Orders.)

Newest Waists for Winter At Unapproachable Prices

Recent large purchases of surplus stocks from prominent manufacturers make these extraordinary values possible—they are not at all customary.

MESSALINE WAISTS—In white and colors, yoke of Baby Irish and flit lace, bodice and sleeves elaborately trimmed with insertions of Val. lace. Value \$8.75; special at..... \$6.95

NET WAISTS—In white and ecru. Yoke of Val. lace, trimmed with Venice insertion, bodice elaborately trimmed with ruffles of Val. lace; sleeves of ruffled net, edged with Val. lace. Value \$7.75; special at..... \$5.95

TAILORED FLANNEL WAISTS—In stripe effects, colors and black, with linen collar. Value \$3.95; special at..... \$2.95

BLACK MESSALINE WAISTS—Tucked model; French back, trimmed collar and cuffs. Value \$6.95; special at..... \$4.95

Carpets, Rugs and Linoleums at Greatly Reduced Prices

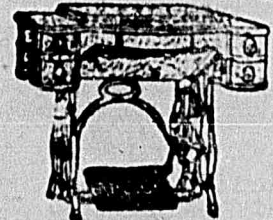
Alexminster Carpets. Savonnerie and extra quality—20 fine quality manufactured size 9x12 feet, woven in one piece (no seams). Usual price \$1.50 and \$1.65 per yard; reduced to..... \$1.35

Inlaid Linoleums. Imported English and Scotch made goods, very best quality, colors through to the back; every yard guaranteed..... \$1.35 and \$1.50

Special Line of Oilcloths at 25c, 35c & 49c per square yard

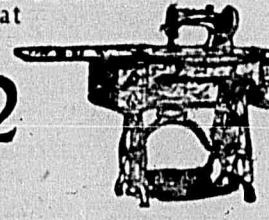
Special Offering of American Sewing Machines

We Will Offer a Carload To-Morrow Special at



\$12

each



Our regular price for these Machines is \$15.00—but they are sold by agents all over the country at \$25.00

The American Sewing Machines are up to date in every particular, and are not to be confounded with many cheaply constructed machines frequently advertised around this price.

They are equipped with all modern devices—drop-down style, five drawers, highly polished hardwood, oak, mahogany, full set of attachments—free; special price for to-morrow..... \$12.00

"Oneita" Union Suits

For Boys and Girls

29c, 39c, 49c.

Value 50c to \$1.00.

Glove fitting, made to fit snug from throat to ankle, elastic and pliable, no rough seams to chafe, smooth inside and out, solid comfort for the boy or girl, easy on and off, easy to wear and insuring complete covering for the child at all times.

The garments in this sale are:

UNION SUITS of heavy fleeced cotton ribbed, cross-cut opening, as in picture; natural, ecru and cream; perfect quality.

Sizes 1 to 4, for 2 to 8 years, value 50c..... 29c

Sizes 5 to 8, for 10 to 16 years, value 75c..... 39c

UNION SUITS of heavy merino, small portion of cotton, in white only; cross-cut openings; these are "second."

Sizes 1 to 4, for 2 to 8 years, value 75c..... 39c

Sizes 5 to 8, for 10 to 16 years, value \$1.00..... 49c



Women's \$4.00 Welt Shoes Special for Thursday at \$2.90

Eleven styles of women's O'Neill-Adams branded, welted and turned-sole shoes, in patent colt leather, demi-calfskin or kidskin—a very exceptional lot of high-grade shoes—the kind you are asked to pay \$4.00 for in many New York stores. Sizes and widths absolutely complete, the lines having just been delivered to us. Special price for the surplus stock sale..... \$2.90

300 Pairs of Women's \$2.00 Bright Kid Dressy Pumps..... \$1.00

All sizes of women's broad kid bow, turn sole, opera toe, and Cuban heel \$2.00 dress pumps, entire leather or wood, kid-covered heels; all sizes and nearly all widths. Surplus stock sale price..... \$1.00

Four Great Bargains for Thursday Muslin Under Garments

CORSET COVERS AND DRAWERS, CHEMISES, GOWNS, SHORT AND LONG PETTICOATS AND DRAWERS, Muslin, Cambric and Nainsook; plain, lace and hemstitching; all sizes in this lot, value 29c, special..... 19c

PETTICOATS, GOWNS, CORSET COVERS AND DRAWERS, nicely trimmed with embroidery, lace, hemstitching and beading; regular price 69c; your choice at..... 44c

DAISY CLOTH AND FLANNELETTE GOWNS AND PETTICOATS, plain and fancy, in a large assortment of colors; value 69c; special at..... 44c

\$5.00 Silk Petticoats, \$3.65. Very fine Silk Petticoats, with double ruffle and tailored flounce effects, in black, black and white, navy, green, brown and white. Regular price \$5.00; best value of the season at our price for to-morrow..... \$3.65

Bed Slippers

7c

for men and women; fleece lined; like cut; all sizes; very durable; value 15c to 25c per pair; while they last, at..... 7c

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Groceries—List of Money Saving Values for Thursday, Friday and Saturday

Adams Bldg. 'Phone 1801—Chelsea. O'Neill Bldg. 'Phone 1400—Chelsea.

Lard—Armour's celebrated Sliced Pure Lard; Government sealed; No. 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 62